

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

ANITA M. WHITFIELD,

Plaintiff,

VS.

HEWLETT PACKARD COMPANY,

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. H-14-2047

**SCHEDULING AND  
DOCKET CONTROL ORDER**

The disposition of this case will be controlled by the following schedule:

1. April 24, 2015 **MOTIONS TO ADD NEW PARTIES**  
The attorney causing the addition of new parties will provide copies of this Order to new parties.
2. April 24, 2015 **MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO AMEND PLEADINGS**  
Parties filing motions after this deadline must show good cause.
- 3a. N/A **EXPERTS**  
Plaintiff (or the party with the burden of proof on an issue) will designate expert witnesses in writing and provide the report required by Rule 26(a)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 3b. N/A  
The opposing party will designate expert witnesses in writing and provide the report required by Rule 26(a)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure
4. May 1, 2015 **MEDIATION/ADR**  
Deadline for mediation to occur.

5. June 26, 2015

**COMPLETION OF DISCOVERY**

Written discovery requests are not timely if they are filed so close to this deadline that under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure the response would not be due until after the deadline.

6. July 17, 2015

**PRETRIAL MOTIONS DEADLINE**

No motion may be filed after this date except for good cause.

7. September 18, 2015

**JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER AND MOTION IN LIMINE DEADLINE**

The Joint Pretrial Order will contain the pretrial disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(3) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Plaintiff is responsible for timely filing the complete Joint Pretrial Order. Failure to file a Joint Pretrial Order timely may lead to dismissal or other sanction in accordance with applicable rules.

8. September 25, 2015

**DOCKET CALL**

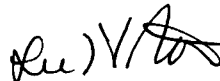
Docket Call will be held at 2:00 p.m. in Courtroom 11-B, United States Courthouse, 515 Rusk, Houston, Texas. No documents filed within seven (7) days of the Docket Call will be considered. All pending motions may be ruled on at docket call, and the case will be set for trial.

9. Additional Orders:

Any party wishing to make any discovery motions should arrange for a premotion conference with the court before the preparation and submission of any motion papers. That includes a motion to compel, to quash, or for protection. Email Mrs. Eddins at [Lisa\\_Eddins@txs.uscourts.gov](mailto:Lisa_Eddins@txs.uscourts.gov) or fax her at 713-250-5213 to arrange for a premotion conference. Notify your adversary of the date and time for the conference.

The parties agree to submit attorneys' fees issues to the court by affidavit after liability and damages are resolved.

SIGNED on February 26, 2015, at Houston, Texas.



Lee H. Rosenthal  
United States District Judge